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(Filing No. S-732)

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STATE OF MAINE
SENATE
131ST LEGISLATURE
SECOND REGULAR SESSION

SENATE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 598, L.D. 1478, "An Act to Improve Women's Health and Economic Security by Funding Family Planning Services"

Amend the bill by striking out the title and substituting the following:

'An Act to Improve Women's Health and Economic Security by Funding Family Planning Services and Comprehensive Family Life Education'

Amend the bill by striking out everything after the enacting clause and inserting the following:

'Sec. 1. 22 MRSA §1912 is enacted to read:

§1912. Continued access to family planning services and comprehensive family life education

1. Access to services. In accordance with this chapter, the department shall provide funding to maintain continued statewide access to family planning services and comprehensive family life education. The department shall issue a request for proposals from qualified providers of family planning services and comprehensive family life education. The department shall select one provider to provide management and oversight of the delivery of family planning services and comprehensive family life education in this State, including, but not limited to, the coordination and management of any subrecipients, and shall distribute funds appropriated for that purpose.

2. Fund established. The Fund to Maintain Access to Statewide Family Planning Services and Comprehensive Family Life Education, referred to in this section as "the fund," is established as a dedicated, nonlapsing fund within the department to provide family planning services and comprehensive family life education under this section. The department may accept funds into the fund from any public or private source for the purposes of awarding a grant under this section. Any funds appropriated to the fund may not supplant other sources of funding.

3. Grant. The department shall make funds available from the fund in the form of grants and may not distribute any funds under a fee-for-service format.

4. State Controller; pre-closing lapse fund transfer. Beginning in fiscal year 2025-26, annually on or before August 1st but before the annual closing of the official system of general accounts of State Government, the State Controller shall transfer up to \$3,800,000

SENATE AMENDMENT

1 of the unobligated balance that would otherwise lapse for the prior fiscal year in the
2 Department of Administrative and Financial Services, State Benefit Mandate Defrayal
3 program, General Fund account to the Department of Health and Human Services, Fund to
4 Maintain Access to Statewide Family Planning Services and Comprehensive Family Life
5 Education program, Other Special Revenue Funds account.

6 **Sec. 2. Appropriations and allocations.** The following appropriations and
7 allocations are made.

8 **HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF**
9 **Fund to Maintain Access to Statewide Family Planning Svcs and Comprehensive**
10 **Family Life Education N339**

11 Initiative: Provides one-time allocation to be distributed to a single grantee who will
12 provide management and oversight of the delivery of family planning services and
13 comprehensive family life education.

14	FUND FOR A HEALTHY MAINE	2023-24	2024-25
15	All Other	\$0	\$3,800,000
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17	FUND FOR A HEALTHY MAINE TOTAL	\$0	\$3,800,000

18 **Fund to Maintain Access to Statewide Family Planning Svcs and Comprehensive**
19 **Family Life Education N339**

20 Initiative: Provides ongoing allocation for any funds received from the lapsing balance in
21 the Department of Administrative and Financial Services, State Benefit Mandate Defrayal
22 program, General Fund that are to be distributed to a single grantee who will provide
23 management and oversight of the delivery of family planning services and comprehensive
24 family life education.

25	OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS	2023-24	2024-25
26	All Other	\$0	\$500
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28	OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL	\$0	\$500

30 **HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES,**
31 **DEPARTMENT OF**
32 **DEPARTMENT TOTALS**

33		2023-24	2024-25
34	FUND FOR A HEALTHY MAINE	\$0	\$3,800,000
35	OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS	\$0	\$500
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37	DEPARTMENT TOTAL - ALL FUNDS	\$0	\$3,800,500

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39 Amend the bill by relettering or renumbering any nonconsecutive Part letter or section
40 number to read consecutively.

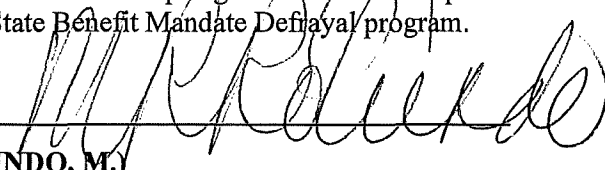
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SUMMARY

This amendment provides a one-time allocation of \$3,800,000 from the Fund for a Healthy Maine to be distributed by the Department of Health and Human Services to a single grantee to provide management and oversight of the delivery of family planning services and comprehensive family life education. Additional funding in future years will be provided through a transfer of lapsing funds from the Department of Administrative and Financial Services, State Benefit Mandate Defrayal program.

SPONSORED BY: _____



(Senator ROTUNDO, M.)

COUNTY: Androscoggin

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED

(See attached)



131st MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 1478

LR 673(04)

An Act to Improve Women's Health and Economic Security by Funding Family Planning Services

Fiscal Note for Senate Amendment "A" to Original Bill (S-732)

Sponsor: Sen. Rotundo of Androscoggin

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

	FY 2023-24	FY 2024-25	Projections FY 2025-26	Projections FY 2026-27
Net Cost (Savings)				
General Fund	(\$3,390,000)	(\$3,390,000)	(\$3,390,000)	(\$3,390,000)
Fund for a Healthy Maine	\$0	\$3,800,000	\$0	\$0
Appropriations/Allocations				
General Fund	(\$3,390,000)	(\$3,390,000)	(\$3,390,000)	(\$3,390,000)
Fund for a Healthy Maine	\$0	\$3,800,000	\$0	\$0
Other Special Revenue Funds	\$0	\$500	\$500	\$500

Fiscal Detail and Notes

This amendment removes the annual General Fund appropriations to the Department of Health and Human Services of \$3,390,000 beginning in fiscal year 2023-24 and replaces it with a one-time Fund for a Healthy Maine allocation to the Department of Health and Human Services of \$3,800,000 in fiscal year 2024-25 to be distributed to a single grantee who will provide management and oversight of the delivery of family planning services. Any additional funding for the program in future years will be provided through a transfer of lapsing funds from the Department of Administrative and Financial Services, State Benefit Mandate Defrayal program. An ongoing Other Special Revenue Funds allocation of \$500 is provided to setup the account.